GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:689
ANSWERED ON:03.03.2008
FARMERS DEBT RELIEF COMMISSION
Adhalrao Patil Shri Shivaji;Annayyagari Shri Sai Prathap;Chinta Mohan Dr. ;Masood Shri Rasheed;Nahata Smt. P. Jaya Prada;Oram Shri Jual;Panda Shri Prabodh;Reddy Shri Mekapati Rajamohan;Singh Shri Suraj;Verma Shri Ravi Prakash

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received suggestions to constitute a farmers debt relief commission; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a)&(b): There is no proposal with the Government of India for constitution of a Farmers Debt Relief Commission. However, Government of Kerala have constituted a Debt Relief Commission under the Kerala Farmers' Debt Relief Commission Act 2006.